

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Jim Carothers, Kelvin P. Self, and H. Stanley Mullins	Group No.:	3676
Serial No.:	10/564,027	Examiner:	Robert Edward Fuller
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For:	PIPE BURSTER WITH SPHERICAL BURSTING MEMBER	Custom No.:	28839
		Confirmation No.:	4074

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
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Applicant respectfully requests that the above application be amended as follows: